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Via ECFS Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary Federal Communications Commission 445 12th Street, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: In the Matter of Petition of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to 47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1

Dear FCC,

I have waited many years (decades even) to have the opportunity to choose a competitive provider like Sonic for my internet and phone access. I've lived in Los Angeles, Baltimore, Boston, and now San Francisco. And in all of these places I've only had 1 or at most 2 providers, both with fixed prices and infamously bad customer service.

Finally, I live in an area where Sonic is available and I feel like I actually have *real* options as a consumer.

This is a reality that everyone should be able to share regardless of where they live! We need more access, not less.

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